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RACE TO PEAK ON WEDNESDAY

FINE LIST OF TROPHIES SECURED

Annual Race for Board of Trade Trophies and Police Gazette Medal Will Be Fully up to Standard.

Not less than ten and probably a dozen entries will face the starter in the third annual Sierra Madre-Mt. Wilson race next Wednesday. The list of entries in the hands of Secretary Patterson of the Board of Trade shows enough class to assure a contest fully up to the two preceding events.

Entry blanks properly filled out have been received from Landa C. Farley, Charles Roclair, George W. Hill, Guido Calligaro, Harry Leech and Otto Carque of Los Angeles, J. A. Shepp of the Pasadena Y. M. C. A. and John W. Zorraguinas of San Gabriel. Ed Dietrich of the Los Angeles Athletic Club has also promised to enter, as well as one or two others who have not yet filed their blanks.

Officials have been selected for the race as follows:

Starter: Chester Lawrence, sporting editor of the Examiner.

Timers at the start, Charles J. Fox, J. A. Patterson, J. A. Madden.

Course official at Halfway House, J. M. Beard.

Timers at top, F. B. Ross, J. P. Hampton.

Judges at top, Leigh Smith, Ira Chase.

For the trophies, as already announced, a beautiful gold watch will be awarded the winner, with silver and bronze medals to the second and third men to finish. The watch will be appropriately engraved with winner's name and record. The medals will be made by one of the best jewelry houses in Los Angeles especially for this event. Mr. Fox has had a bar with the name of Dietrich as winner of last year's race, added to the big medal offered to the winner of three races. This big medal was originally offered to the winner of three consecutive races, but the consecutive requirement has been eliminated. It will be on exhibition at Patterson's next week.

Racing "dope" of any kind is about as uncertain as anything that could be named. And this race is no exception, especially in view of the fact that some runners who show good class on the level fall far behind in this race up the trail because of the very different conditions under which they are running. The only one of the entrants so far listed who has been in both the races already run is Otto Carque who did not cut much figure in either event. His huge feet seem better suited to snow shoeing but he is game all the way. His time in the first race was 2:26:30, and in the second 2:04:50.

Dietrich is the best known athlete in the list and will make a desperate effort to get his name on another bar of the big medal. His time last year was 1:29:30, three and a half minutes faster than the time of Landa C. Farley, the 17-year old boy who finished third and took a large share of the honors. It was Farley's first long distance race. Since then he has appeared in several other events and if he has taken care of himself should push Dietrich hard this

year. Charles Roclair, representing Hoegee & Company finished fourth last year in 1:35:40. Calligaro made it in 1:38:10 and Shepp in 1:42:04.

If possible the committee in charge of the race will arrange to have the start made from some down town point, probably the corner of Baldwin and Central Avenues. This would give people a chance to size up the runners and they could see a little of the race without going to the foot of the trail. The method of starting the men at intervals of one or two minutes takes away any spectacular interest in the race. The entry blanks which were signed by the runners specified the race as between the foot of the trail and the summit of Mt. Wilson, and if they are unwilling to waive their right and have the race start from down town it will be necessary to arrange it as before.

CITY TRUSTEES MEET

The city trustees met in regular session last evening. The first matter to come up was the renewal of the street lighting contract with the Southern California Edison Company. District Agent Neelands was present and discussed the contract which had been presented. The chairman and clerk of the board were authorized to sign the contract when one or two minor details which were in question have been adjusted. The board will go over the city with Mr. Neelands soon to see where it may be possible to establish additional street lights. These have been requested at several points where the company has no poles or wires, and consequently the company cannot be required to place lights there. But if consumers enough to justify extensions of the wires can be secured these dark places on the streets can be lighted up. Another point which makes the board desirous of establishing more lights is the fact that nineteen additional lamps will bring the total number to a point where a lower rate will be secured and the whole cost will be slightly more than at present.

A petition asking the board to order the improvement of Highland avenue from Baldwin to Mountain Trail was received from J. A. Gilbert, Joseph Odwarker and Lena Jordan, representing a minority of the frontage. The petition was referred back with a request for more signers and the attorney was instructed to report on the powers of the board in the matter.

The office of city engineer was declared vacant. The board then proceeded to fill the vacancy by electing W. F. Bixby, a former Sierra Madre boy, to the place.

CITY ASSESSOR MAKING ROUNDS

With two assessors and two census takers interviewing the people of Sierra Madre all at once they have been having their fill of being quizzed, enumerated and otherwise listed of late. City Clerk Phil Carter, who is also city assessor, is the latest to start to make the rounds, and if he has not yet seen you, your time is coming soon. Census Marshal Roland Adams has completed the work of taking the school census, though he is allowed two more weeks. The taking of the general census must be completed this week, and Enumerator Perry has been using up an amazing amount of shoe leather in an attempt to complete the work within the specified time. Deputy County Assessor Thomas has about completed his annual visitations in this vicinity.

MUNICIPAL LIBRARY AT LAST

Trustees Lease the Old Library Property and Make It Free

The Sierra Madre municipal library is now an accomplished fact. At a meeting of the board of municipal library trustees held last evening the property and equipment of the Sierra Madre library association was taken over on a lease.

Under the new arrangement the library will be free to all residents of Sierra Madre, whether taxpayers or not. The old system of fees will be abolished but the library will be conducted, of course, under suitable rules to be established by the board.

For librarian the board voted to re-engage Mrs. F. Wheatly. The library will be open every week-day afternoon instead of only four afternoons a week as heretofore. It will also be open on two evenings a week, Monday and Thursday. The board are hopeful that the patronage of the library will be so largely increased that the wisdom of establishing a municipal library will be clearly demonstrated.

NEW BUILDING UNDER WAY

Excavations have been about completed for the new building to be erected by A. N. Adams on the east side of Baldwin Avenue. Building operations will soon be in full swing. Architect Earl Brenk has drawn plans for the building, which will be a decided addition to the business section. The plans call for a two-story building, with basement. The size will be about 36x75 feet. The first floor will be arranged for a store room, with a small corner partitioned off for use by Mr. Adams as an office. Concrete will be used for the walls, while the design shows a handsome pressed brick front, with large plate glass windows for the store room. Mr. Adams has considered both a hall or lodge room and offices and apartments for the second floor, but has not yet announced his decision.

CONGREGATIONAL CONFERENCE

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Southern California Congregational Conference will be held in Los Angeles Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week. Meetings will be held each day and evening in the First Congregational church of that city. The conference theme will be "Completing the Kingdom." The Sierra Madre Congregational church will be represented at the meetings by the pastor, Dr. J. M. Campbell, and by Mrs. C. H. Baker and Mr. E. N. Mead, as delegates. Several others are planning to attend various meetings of the conference.

ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

The annual business meeting of the Church of the Ascension was held on Tuesday evening, April 26, in the church. Reports of the various committees and guilds were read and approved. The following vestrymen were elected: Dr. George H. Cornell, Messrs. A. D. Hawks, E. S. Stilson, J. C. Pegler, C. J. Pegler, S. T. de Pencier, T. M. Webster, C. H. Perry, H. Furneaux. Following the parish meeting the vestry met and elected the following officers: A. D. Hawks, Senior Warden; E. S. Stilson, Junior Warden; T. M. Webster, treasurer; C. J. Pegler, Clerk. Delegates were elected to the diocesan convention as follows: A. D. Hawks, E. S. Stilson, S. T. de Pencier, J. C. Pegler, C. J. Pegler, T. M. Webster, H. J. Thomas.

MAY BUILD NEW SYSTEM

PASADENA WANTS DIRECT CARS

Pasadena Merchants May Aid in Bringing New Car Line Here Independent of Pacific Electric.

Plans for an electric railway system independent of the Huntington lines are under consideration by the Merchants' Association and the Board of Trade of Pasadena. They propose the organization of a company to build lines which would have Pasadena as their focal point and with Sierra Madre as one of the first places to be reached by the new lines.

Pasadena wants to become a city center. This is impossible without drawing business from towns like Sierra Madre, Monrovia, Alhambra and La Canada, trade which now goes largely to Los Angeles. It is with this end in view that the project for additional interurban facilities has been launched. It is understood the new plan has nothing to do with the proposed direct line between Los Angeles and Pasadena.

President Harry Prinz and Secretary A. J. Bertonneau visited Sierra Madre on Monday for the purpose of looking over the local situation and learning the probable sentiment here toward their plans. They said they had endeavored to get the Pacific Electric company to run cars direct between Sierra Madre and Pasadena but were met with the reply that the time required for transfer at El Camino was so short as to make it unnecessary. The railway officials said that four minutes was the longest possible wait under the present schedule. To which some Sierra Madre people would reply that the officials know less than some of the passengers about the delay in transferring at that point.

Messrs. Prinz and Bertonneau were much interested in the plan suggested in last week's News for the extension of the East Orange Grove Avenue line in Pasadena to the Sierra Madre line at Rincon crossing. They will probably push this plan as a means of getting direct car service in case the plan for an independent line falls through. At a subsequent meeting of the Pasadena merchants their moral and financial support was pledged to the capitalists who are said to be back of the new interurban plan.

Of course the purpose of the Pasadena merchants in all these plans is to secure trade from Sierra Madre and the other towns nearby. At first glance it might seem that this would work an injury to the local merchants, but such is unlikely. The trade thus drawn to Pasadena would be trade that goes now almost entirely to Los Angeles, being in lines which cannot be carried profitably by local merchants. The coming of additional traction facilities would help build up Sierra Madre by making the town a more desirable suburban residence community. Existing business would not be injured in the least and much new business would be secured from time to time as the town grew.

The May meeting of the Monday Musical club will not be held on the first Monday in the month as usual but has been postponed till Tuesday, May 17, at 3 p. m. At that time a program will be given by Miss Mollie Adelia Brown of Los Angeles and a delightful afternoon is anticipated.

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REPORT OF CITY CLERK

Serra Madre, Cal., April 18, 1910.
To the Board of Trustees,
Sierra Madre, Cal.

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit my
Report, as City Clerk, for the year end-
ing with the close of business, April
16, 1910, as follows:

Receipts

Balance April 1, 1909.	\$ 3,363.68
Delinquent taxes, '07..	160.61
Delinquent taxes, '08..	220.59
Delinquent taxes, '09..	715.46
Taxes	7,603.54
Licenses	410.50
Dog licenses	41.00
Incidental exp. street assessment	2,572.69
Fines	5.00
Refund from S. M. Water Co. for half cost of monument..	6.00
Sale of gas franchise..	50.60
Rent of grader.....	13.50
Tax Collector, over- payment to Treas...	7.93
	\$11,807.42
	\$15,171.10

Disbursements

Street assessment	\$ 1,064.15
Street work	2,998.94
Printing and stationery.....	1,066.26
Street lighting	707.42
Miscellaneous expense	640.05
Salaries	1,948.00
Rent	329.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	264.50
2% of licenses and taxes col- lected	177.56
1% of Treasurer's disburse- ments (1908)	68.78
Board of Health.....	213.28
Rebate taxes	12.29
Fire Dept.	323.54
Real estate	1,814.45

Total disbursements

Balance April 16, 1910.....

\$15,171.10

Current Accounts

Receivable:	
Delinquent Roll, 1907.....	\$ 7.76
Delinquent Roll, 1908.....	17.55
Delinquent Roll, 1909.....	51.94
Due from License Collector.....	4.00
Outstanding license	80.50
Total	\$161.75
Payable:	
City Treasurer	122.18
City Tax and License Coll. 2%....	20.70
Current Tax Coll. (over-payment to Treasurer)	7.93

Total exclusive of current bills..\$150.81

WATER METERS ON DUTY

Notices have been sent to all water consumers that the meters have been put into commission and accordingly promiscuous sprinkling is likely to be expensive. It is likely that the month's allowance will be fairly liberal since there is still considerable water running in the open stream of the Little Santa Anita. But it is time to cut down the general waste of water which has been evident in many quarters, to guard against a shortage later in the season. The usual summer sprinkling hours from five to seven o'clock in the evening have also been designated as in force. This action on the part of the company does not presage a water famine this summer as was feared by some newcomers who were not aware that last season was the first in years when such a rule was not in force, due to the abundance of water from the heavy rainfall of the previous winter. Superintendent Biederman of the water company has been overhauling the pumping plant and putting it in readiness for service as soon as the gravity flow decreases to a point where it is insufficient to supply the demand.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church of the Ascension, the Rev Dr. George H. Cornell, Rector. Fifth Sunday after Easter Sunday School and rector's Bible class, 9:45 a. m.; sermon and Holy Communion, 11 a. m.; lecture on Confirmation, 4 p. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

The following services will be held at the Church of the Ascension on Ascension Day, Thursday, May 5. Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m. At 10 o'clock the Rt. Rev. Joseph H. Johnson, D. D., Bishop of the diocese of Los Angeles, will celebrate the Holy Communion, preach and administer the apostolic rite of confirmation. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

AN APPRECIATION

The officers and directors of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club wish to take this method of expressing their appreciation and thanks to all who, by taking part or otherwise assisting, helped make the presentation of "His Royal Highness" a success. Their work resulted in substantial benefit to the club, as well as affording a great deal of pleasure to the people of Sierra Madre.

Between the Acts

"This play is spicy," so he said,
As to his seat he roves.
And she made answer; "On that head
I'm with you, I smell cloves."

—Town Topics.

For lawn fertilizer see the Sierra Madre Feed & Fuel Co.

Recapitulation of Treasurer's Account

Treasurer's balance Apr. 16, 1910	\$3,095.53
Warrants outstanding:	
538.....	\$ 16.65
9.....	25.00
41.....	4.00
2.....	4.00
4.....	4.00
7.....	4.00
8.....	4.00
9.....	6.00
52.....	75.00

Deduct total..... 142.65

Available cash bal., as
per books

Respectfully submitted,

J. A. MADDEN,
City Clerk.

The above we certify to be a correct
statement according to the books, ac-
counts, vouchers and warrants.

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I love the daily papers,
The style in which they fix
The record of man's capers
And—Continued on Page 6.

A maid shot in the attic
By one who loved her sore,
Although somewhat erratic
And—Continued on Page 4.

Bill Buggs, our leading bruiser,
Knocked out young Kid Magee.
He paralyzed the snoozer
By—Continued on Page 3.

The queenly Mrs. Hofer
Has made a great ado
By skipping with her chauffeur,
And—Continued on Page 2.

Old Rox, the money-seizer,
Explains his latest bait
For sucker and for geezer,
And—Continued on Page 8.

For aye I'm held in fetter
Of one convincing thought:
Such news would be far better
If—Continued on Page 0.

—A. J. Waterhouse, in California Weekly

A health officer recently received the
following note from one of the residents
of his district: "Dear Sir: I beg to in-
form you that my child, aged eight
months, is suffering from measles as
required by act of Parliament.—Ex.

Knicker—How large is their suburban
place? Bocker—Large! Why they have
to have folding beds for the flowers.—
New York Sun.

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absolutely please everybody," said the
editor.

"No," replied the old subscriber; "a
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wife's opinion of the sporting section."
—Washington Star.

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the best in our line at the lowest live-
and-let-live prices. Call us up by phone,
Green 46, and we will deliver promptly.
O. K. Cash Department Store.

Burntumber—Has young Brushman
any artistic ability? Sienna—Well, I've
seen him draw corks quite naturally.—
Chicago Journal.

Brief Items of Interest

Mrs. E. R. Bird of Long Beach spent
Wednesday in Sierra Madre.

Mrs. N. L. Beuhring will leave tomor-
row for a short visit in Santa Ana.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Andrews spent
Saturday and Sunday at Ocean Park.

Mrs. C. A. Yerxa entertained the Even-
ing Bridge Club at her home on Wednes-
day evening.

Mrs. D. Spence and Mrs. C. Turner of
Los Angeles were the guests of Miss M.
Robings on Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Davis Goodfellow closes her
kindergarten this week after a very suc-
cessful year's work.

Mrs. J. A. Madden entertained the
Whist Club at her Monte Lado home
on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. Stretch and her daughter, Mrs.
Price, of Long Beach, have rented the
Hamilton cottage on Auburn Avenue.

Clarence Robinson will leave early next
week for a visit of several weeks at
his old home in Kewanee, Illinois.

Mrs. R. S. Oakford and family left
last week for their home in Long Beach
after spending several weeks in Sierra
Madre.

A. S. Mead and family and Mr. and
Mrs. E. N. Mead visited Elsinore on Tues-
day, making the trip in that new tour-
ing car.

Mrs. G. H. Johnson entertained a few
friends with a luncheon on Wednesday
in honor of Mrs. Roberta Camp of Napa
and the Misses Sue and Anne Davis.

Mrs. W. J. Lawless entertained several
ladies at luncheon on Tuesday in honor
of Mrs. James Ford of Los Angeles.
Bridge was played after luncheon, two
tables being filled.

The young people of the E. O. B. club
held a delightful party in the Town
Hall Monday evening. Games and dan-
cing were enjoyed through the evening
and light refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Sokol and their
son, George F. Sokol and wife, started
for their former home in Onslow, Iowa,
last Monday. The former expect to
return to their Sierra Madre home in
the fall.

Hix Thornburg has been carrying his
arm in splints since last week when he
suffered a broken wrist. While cranking
his auto the engine "back fired" and
the crank struck his wrist with sad re-
sults.

Mrs. O. M. Cadwell has been spending
a week in Sierra Madre, superintending
some work on her home place. She will
go soon to San Diego to spend a month,
after which she will return home for
the summer.

The Masonic lodge will put on work
in the third degree for the first time
next Tuesday evening. H. C. Yerxa and
J. D. Mackerras had the mysteries of
the second degree imparted to them last
Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Ira O. Smith of Los Angeles gave
one of the most enjoyable discourses
heard this year before the Woman's Club
at the regular meeting on Monday after-
noon. Her subject was "Personal Recol-
lections of Oberammergau."

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Caley and daugh-
ters left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio,
where they will spend several months at
their old home. Mr. Caley brought as
a parting remembrance to the editor of
the News a fine bag of grape fruit.

W. S. Dodson has bought the Leopardi
Brothers' barber shop and will conduct
the business in the future. He has had
fifteen years experience and expects his
brother to arrive soon from the east to
assist him. As soon as he can dispose
of his property in El Monte, where he
has been living, he will bring his family
to Sierra Madre.

Everett Gardner of Pasadena was a
week-end guest of Charles Camp.

Mrs. J. J. Graham came up from Long
Beach for a short visit this week.

Mrs. E. J. Walker of Chicago is the
guest of Mrs. W. H. Ingraham this week.

Mrs. G. H. Johnson and the Misses
Sue and Anne Davis are enjoying an out-
ing at Ocean Park.

The Modern Priscillas were delightfully
entertained yesterday at the home of
Miss Lydia Webster.

Miss Clara B. Stark returned yesterday
from Oakland, where she had visited
relatives for two weeks.

J. W. Smith returned to his home in
Los Angeles on Wednesday after enjoy-
ing a few days' outing here.

Miss Edna Staples is spending the
week-end in Los Angeles, the guest of
her friend, Miss Edna Earle.

W. W. Christie and son of Chicago
who have been spending a fortnight in
Sierra Madre left on Monday for Red-
lands.

Mrs. W. F. Parks who has spent sev-
eral months in Sierra Madre will leave
the last of this week for her home in
St. Louis.

Harold Costello came home from Whit-
tier College Thursday evening for the
purpose of enjoying a fishing trip of a
few days in the West Fork.

Mrs. G. P. Gary returned last week
from Chicago where she had spent several
months, and is residing at the home of
her sister, Mrs. O. M. Cadwell, on Au-
burn Avenue.

Miss Vega Brugman came over from
Pasadena to attend the presentation of
"His Royal Highness." She was the
guest over Sunday of Mrs. W. B. Crisp
of Mariposa Avenue.

Mrs. M. C. Seudder and grandson who
have spent several months in Sierra
Madre will leave this week for Long
Beach where they will remain a month
before going to their home in Minne-
sota.

C. S. Kersting has fallen victim to
the auto fever once more. This time he
has a 30-horsepower, 5-passenger Cadil-
lac. On Wednesday he and Mrs. Kersting
enjoyed a trip to Covina, Glendora and
Monrovia.

Walter Brooks came down from Ox-
nard this week, where he has been work-
ing for Paul C. Staples. He is nursing
an injured hand and will spend his en-
forced vacation with his mother, Mrs.
E. M. Brooks.

Little Burton Udell was badly injured
Thursday evening of last week, when he
was kicked by a horse. Dr. Mackerras
was called and found it necessary to take
several stitches to close up the wounds
on the lad's head.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Dietz entertained at
dinner on Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs.
W. P. Caley and Misses Hilda and May-
belle Caley, the affairs being in the na-
ture of a farewell to the Caleys who
left yesterday for Cleveland, Ohio.

J. S. Collins, a prominent miller and
grain merchant of Bath, England, spent
last Friday with his old friend, George
Humphries. He had been visiting his
son at Oceanside. After visiting various
other cities in Southern California he said
he did not see why people would live
anywhere else if they could live in Sierra
Madre.

Sunday seems to be the usual day for
turning in fire alarms in Sierra Madre.
Last Sunday morning a blaze was
started in a small shack used by the
Central Market, east of the store build-
ing. Aldermen Hosmer and Steinberger
made a record run with the hose cart but
arrived just in time to see the blaze ex-
tinguished with a few well placed buck-
ets of water.

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balbriggan or Porosknit only 25c. Also
the navy tan linen men's underwear,
to close, at 25c. Ladies' undervests from
10c up, ladies' union suits from 25c and
up. Also all kinds of ladies' muslin
underwear. And don't forget our mer-
cerized lisle thread socks and stockings.
O. K. Cash Department Store.

Madge—Edith is surely not going to
marry that living skeleton of a man.
He's nothing but skin and bones. Tess—
Why not? He'll make her a rattling
husband.—Boston Transcript.

No dinner is complete without a can
of Del Monte fruit for dessert. The
choicest fruit ever put up in cans and
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Store.

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BY THE WAY

Editor Bennet of the Compton Enterprise was a recent caller at the News office, while on his first visit in four years to Sierra Madre. The changes which had taken place in that length of time were a source of astonishment to him. Mr. Bennet is one of the old-timers in the country newspaper business, having been in the harness for something like thirty years. But he still has a long time ahead in which to grow old.

After paying his first visit to a dozen or more towns in the vicinity of Riverside and San Bernardino A. S. Mead reports that he has not yet found anything to come up to Sierra Madre as a place in which to live. Anyone with a capacity for enjoying the best this world affords should be satisfied here.

Don't look in the weather reports for an explanation of the darkness which prevailed during part of the day yesterday. The sporting pages explained it. It was merely due to the arrival of one Jack Johnson in Los Angeles and the gathering of his friends to welcome him.

So Oscar Hammerstein has decided to furnish New York with no more grand opera. Gotham might import a little talent from Sierra Madre where actors, voiceless and otherwise, seem to thrive.

Pity the poor Roosevelts who saw airships in flight for the first time this week! It will take them some time to catch up with the people of Southern California in that respect.

Shum Worker—What a well-behaved little boy he is. Burglar's Wife—And he comes by it natural, ma'am. His poor father always got his sentence reduced owing to good behavior.—Stray Stories.

DR. HALE AGAIN HONORED

Honors come thick and fast to Dr. George E. Hale, director of the Carnegie Solar Observatory on Mt. Wilson. It would be difficult to over-rate his standing in the scientific world by reason of his achievements in the research work of the observatory and as the director and virtual creator of the observatory. The latest honor to be conferred upon him is the position of foreign secretary of the National Academy of Sciences. The position was held by the late Professor Alexander Agassiz of Cambridge, Mass., one of the giants of the scientific world during the past century.

European scientists admit they have nothing to approach the marvelous equipment of the Mt. Wilson observatory, according to President J. A. B. Sherer of Throop Institute, Pasadena. And likewise, they admit that there is none to surpass Dr. Hale in his particular lines of solar research. Dr. Sherer traveled through Europe with Dr. Hale a year ago when the foreigners were given their first opportunity to get first hand information regarding the man and his work. His photographs, scientific data and lectures convinced them on many points on which they had been skeptical, says Dr. Sherer, and after they had heard Dr. Hale they were willing to accord him first place with hardly a dissenting voice. Many of these European savants will visit the observatory in August at the time of the convention of the Solar Union, an association of the great astronomers of the world, which holds its meeting on Mt. Wilson.

WORKING MT. WILSON TRAIL

Forest Ranger George Crowe has had a gang of men at work on the Mt. Wilson trail the past week, putting it in shape for the summer travel. The work is being done under orders from Forest Supervisor Charlton. The trail went through the past winter with an unusually small number of washouts and slides so it will not be a hard job to put it into first class shape. The early hot weather has started the campers and vacation crowds for the cool recesses of the mountains at an unusually early date and the resort men are hoping the business will continue all summer instead of waiting till the middle of July before beginning in earnest. Present indications point to the heaviest travel in years over the mountain trails in this vicinity during the coming summer.

WHITTIER COLLEGE GLEE CLUB

No form of music is more attractive and thoroughly enjoyable than a well trained men's chorus. When good musical training and the dashing spirit of a group of college students are combined the resultant is music of the kind that makes the blood tingle, as well as satisfying a critical ear. That is the sort of music that will be heard next

Friday evening at the Woman's Club house when the Whittier College Glee club will give a concert under the auspices of the Woman's Club.

The glee club is composed of a score of young men who have been under the training of a competent instructor for several months. They have sung on several occasions in Los Angeles and recently made their annual spring tour of Southern California towns. Everywhere their work gained enthusiastic approval. The club is accompanied by a reader of ability whose numbers furnish a variation from the rest of the program. The club should have a large bearing as their work is well worth while and the concert will undoubtedly be one of the most enjoyable musical offerings of the season.

The concert will begin promptly at 7:45 o'clock, so the club will be able to finish their program in time to take the ten o'clock car.

The Annual Garden Statement

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The American opinion of coffee as understood in the English home is not high, and how the coffee of the English lodging houses is esteemed may be understood from the following traveler's tale: It was the first morning in London "apartments," and his landlady came up with the breakfast. As she set down his coffee cup she opened a slight conversation: "It looks like rain," she said. "It does," agreed the American, "but the odor has a faint suggestion of coffee."—Exchange.

On his English tour the American was admiring the velvety smoothness of a certain sward, and, being possessed of land and an overpowering confidence that with money all things are possible, he asked the head gardener how to produce a lawn. And the gardener said: "It's easy enough, sir. All you need to do is to remove all the stones, plow up the ground, plant it with grass seed, and roll it for three hundred years."—Exchange.

The Rev. Dr. Putemtosleep—Deacon Goodleigh walked right out of church in the middle of my sermon. I wonder if I offended him. Mrs. Goodleigh—Don't let that worry you, doctor. He has been a somnambulist for years.—Philadelphia Record.

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"How did you enjoy your vacation?"
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THE PASSING SHOW

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A local Jap, meeting C's small son, said to him, "hello Johnny, so sorra papa dead—vera sorra." Johnny, amazed, replied, "But my papa isn't dead, why do you say that?"

Jap boy—"I work by Mrs. J's on Tuesday. She say to telephone 'oh, yes indeed, I tell die-wagon call at Mr. C's.'"

Le Maison Jarre

At the next regular meeting of one of our numerous (?) local lodges the honorary title of Dominus Sterter (not in the ritual) will be conferred upon a worthy member who exhibited all necessary qualifications at the last session. A beautiful robe de nuit of white satin, symbolically embroidered in yellow poppies will be presented the brother, and throughout the ceremony he will rest upon a three-cornered cushion of pale green velvet, filled with greener hops (the cushion not the brother).

The password for the Inner Circle is herewith given, but the grip will be "3 fingers" as usual:

Bran-y and S-da

Hunter's Ry-

In the r-b-s of the t--ple

Served,—oh my!

N. B.

Eastern Starlets need not attempt solving missing letter contest as none but seasoned brothers of the umpty-umpty degree can translate above.

N. B. No. 2.

An Elkess might be able to guess it as B. P. O. E. members chant such things in their sleep, we are told.

Do you know that our Mayor can trace his ancestry back to one Hosmer of Hawkhurst, County Kent, Eng., of the vintage of James the First?

Now will you be good?

With mine own eyes have I beheld the family Hurst and I leave it to you to look into the Hawk-like eye of His Honor to witness the fact that there is no reversion of type in Uncle Henry's make-up.

Should the spirit of his ancestor rise up in His Honor's breast, he may tilt in tourney with the City Treasurer for the supremacy of Yorkshire Pudding over pretzels.

He may dig a moat above the City Hall and yank up the drawbridge when he sees you approaching with that "complaining look" upon your face. Maybe he will order me to the dungeon "to straightway be beheaded" for lese majesty, in writing thusly. Gadzooks, grammarcy! I say no more, nay, neither more anon.

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A longer stay will be profitable, however, that more of the sights may be seen.

The round-trip fare is \$2.75 to San Bernardino, with stop-over, as described, and a return limit of 8 days. On Sundays the fare is \$1.75, good for return same day.

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"Scribbles writes some very pleasing verse." "Indeed? I've never heard of it pleasing anybody." "Evidently you've never observed its effect on Scribbles."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

RURAL SCHOOL ENTERPRISE

State Superintendent Hyatt has addressed a circular to the rural school patrons of California which is of interest in helping them to work out one of their problems, but is also of general interest in showing what is being done in some communities of the state. He says:

I have just come from an official visit to the schools of Imperial County, a green and fertile region that less than a dozen years ago was the grim and desolate heart of the Colorado Desert. In a night a wonderful civilization has sprung up. More than eighty schools are already in operation. The people in this new world are peculiarly free; free from tradition, free from common prejudice, free to do the best things they know. They can go directly to the newest and best educational ideas at once, without intermediate evolution.

I have picked out one of these ideas as worth passing on to the school people in other parts of the State. It is worthy reflective attention and is illustrated by a huge automobile that is used at the town of Imperial to knit the surrounding country into a strong school organization. Every day it makes its trips into the country, gathering up the older children for the agricultural high school and the younger ones for a strong grammar school in the town. The machine has seats in front and a freight compartment in rear.

It can carry three tons of freight and can travel twenty miles an hour. It can take twenty people at a load and can haul big bundles of trees, plows, harrows, bales of hay, sacks of grain. It gathers up the milk going to the creamery. The farmers and their wives utilize its regular trips to fetch and carry from the town or to go as passengers themselves; fare two bits. The load of children is brought in thirty minutes. They are usually accompanied by one of the school trustees, who lives in the country and does business in the town.

It costs the schools about \$100 per month, or less than 15 cents per day per child. The value of the machine is about \$3,500. Its use compelled the building of good roads immediately. It is a means of communication and an

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The moral of the story lies in the idea of neighborhood co-operation. Perhaps this particular thing can not be used elsewhere; but it shows that a line of intercommunication can be established in sparsely settled regions that brings strength and life and social feeling into strong, ambitious, graded schools and high schools adapted to rural life. We shrink from the loss of the little school from our own immediate neighborhood. We hang to it with death-like grip as an adjunct to the value and the attractiveness of our own homes.

But the idea pictured here shows something better. It shows that an artery of enterprise and social life can be brought directly to our own homes that will give far more of value and attraction than a remote and dying school can ever do. Think it over.

The debonair young man with the plush hat and the Turkish cigarette was patronizing the barber-shop manicure. "Don't you know, the thought often strikes me when I'm getting shaved," he chattered, "what a terrible position I'd be in if the barber suddenly became a raving maniac!" "Oh, don't worry

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about that," said the lady, sweetly. "I don't think anybody will ever go crazy over you."

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If you do not so register and so state your party affiliation you cannot vote at this primary election, at which all State and County officers will be nominated.

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AT THE THEATERS

Auditorium

In order that the patrons anticipating attending the series of Symphony concerts to be given at the Auditorium, May 2, 3 and 4, under the conductorship of Walter Damrosch, may know what is in store for them, the complete programs for each day are here presented:

May 2—Evening

Symphony "From the New World," Dvorak; Adagio, Allegro molto, Largo, Scherzo, Allegro con fuoco.

The Two Grenadiers, Schumann, Mr. Marcus Kellerman.

Part II—From the "Nutmacker" Suite, Tchaikowsky; (a) Overture Miniature, (b) Russian Dance, (c) Chinese Dance, (d) Dance of the Whistlers.

Moment Musical, Schubert.

Spinning Song, Mendelssohn.

Air from Sappho, Gounod, Mme. Van der Veer.

Scherzo, op. 45, Goldmark.

Wagner Program, May 3—Evening

Tannhauser (a) Overture, (b) Elizabeth's Air, Act II, Mme. Anderson; (c) Song of the Evening Star, Mr. Kellerman.

Lohengrin (a) Prelude, (b) Elsa's Dream, Act I, Mme. Anderson; (c) Prelude and Bridal Chorus, Act III.

Meistersinger (a) Prize Song, Act III, Mr. Miller; (b) Dance of the Apprentices, Act III.

Walkure: Spring Song and Finale from Act I, Mme. Anderson and Mr. Miller.

Tristan & Isolde (a) Love Music and Brangane's Warning from Act II, Mesdames Anderson and Van der Veer and Mr. Miller; (b) Isolde's Death, from Act III.

May 4—Matinee

Overture, "The Merry Wives of Windsor," Nicolai.

Unfinished Symphony, Schubert; Allegro moderato, Andante con moto.

Air from "Le Cid," "Pleurez mes yeux," Massenet, Mme. Anderson.

Hungarian Symphony No. 1, Liszt.

Part II.—Overture "Lenore" No. 3, Beethoven.

Religious Scene—Electra decorates the tomb of Agamemnon from "Les Erynnies," Massenet; cello obligato, Mr. Kefer.

Group of Songs, Mme. Anderson.

Selections from "Damnation of Faust," Berlioz; (a) Dance of the Sylphs, (b) Dance of the Will o' the Wisp, (c) Rakoczy March.

May 4—Evening

Overture "Mignon," Thomas.

Symphony in C (Jupiter), Mozart; Allegro vivace, Andante cantabile, Minuet and Trio, Allegretto, Finale, allegro molto.

Air from "Aida," Act I, Verdi, Mr. Reed Miller.

Part II.—Don Juan, Symphonic Poem, R. Strauss.

(a) Serenade "Under the Balcony," Lacombe.

(b) Spinning Song, Mendelssohn.

Air, "If with all your hearts," from "Elijah," Mendelssohn, Mr. Reed Miller. March to the Scaffold from the "Fantastique Symphony," Berlioz.

Russian Song, Rimsky-Kersakoff.

Ticket reservations may be made for this spring festival at either the Behymer ticket office, Los Angeles, or orders may be sent to the Auditorium box office, where they will be promptly filled in order of receipt.

Burbank

"Brewster's Millions" is just the thing to make you forget the thermometer," said Othman Stevens in the Examiner last Monday, and more than a thousand people have agreed with him every night since. As a consequence this spectacular play will be repeated next week at the Burbank to accommodate the demand for seats which has developed. It is

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generally conceded that this is not merely the best of all the productions of "Brewster's Millions" which have been seen in Los Angeles, but that it is one of the liveliest and most spectacular comedies ever staged anywhere. The yacht scene is a masterpiece of realism, the storm effects being unusually magnificent.

Majestic

Kolb and Dill give a triple bill at the Majestic next week. This consists of "The Mustard King," "The College Widow" and "The Music Master."

"The Mustard King" is a condensation of one of the old-time burlesques in which these comedians built up their reputation. "The College Widow" is a burlesque on George Ade's famous comedy, "The College Widow," and is also a condensation. Max M. Dill plays a female impersonation that is simply a scream. "The Music Master" is a burlesque on the drama which made David Warfield famous, and C. William Kolb has the opportunity of his life in his travesty on the Warfield role. Previously, these three shows never have been given all in one performance, two at a time being all the San Francisco audiences got. They have been trimmed

right down to the limit for this engagement however, until there is nothing left in them but laughs, with a few musical numbers and some chorus specialties.

Belasco

"The Price" will be continued for another week at the Belasco, commencing Monday night. This new Broadhurst play has scored the most profound sensation that the local Belasco stage has ever known and since the first performance when Mr. Broadhurst revealed new and hitherto unsuspected powers, as a dramatist, the Belasco has been crowded with audiences that have manifested great outbursts of enthusiasm over the undeniably powerful play, and the quite flawless performances of the Belasco players. "The Price" in one night placed George Broadhurst at the very front rank of the men who write for the native stage. Nothing that Mr. Broadhurst has ever done can be compared with this newest work and no more adroit example of dramatic construction can be imagined than the up-building of the story of "The Price" until the terrifically strong third act with its succession of smashing climaxes is reached.